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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1-5.
 - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(l) and (p)(1)); See Figure(s) 1, 2 & 3.

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App. No.: **10/823,890**

Filed: **April 14, 2004**

For: **Pedal-Operated Fluid Dispensing Apparatus**

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Transmitted herewith is:

1. **Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers**
2. **Substitute Drawings**
3. **Postcard**
4. **Duplicate copy of this letter**

Please charge any additional fees or credit any such fees, if necessary to Deposit Account No. 07-2162 in the name of Grimes & Battersby. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 24, 2004

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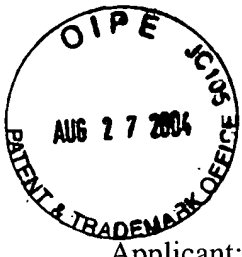
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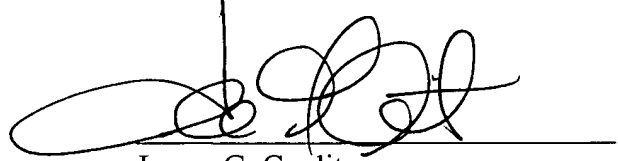
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed June 25, 2004 requiring replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121, applicant submits herewith a replacement Figures 1-5 in which the drawings are reasonably free from erasures, alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds and copy marks, and in which the line

quality and text are legible and capable of being reproduced. A copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers is also being submit in connection with these replacement drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'J' followed by a series of loops and a final flourish.

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